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Interview Summary	Application No. 10/737,314	Applicant(s) GIANCHANDANI ET AL.	
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Date of Interview: 20 February 2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1 and 8-10.

Identification of prior art discussed: Leopold (U.S. Pub. No. 20020173839).

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant suggested amendments to distinguish over Leopold regarding the side beams extending along a longitudinal axis in the non-deployed position, which appeared to read over the prior art, and also possible amendments regarding the cross bands being folded and having an involute or switchback pattern within each of the cross-bands. Further consideration and updated search will be required in light of amendments.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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/Diane Yabut/
Examiner, Art Unit 3734

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